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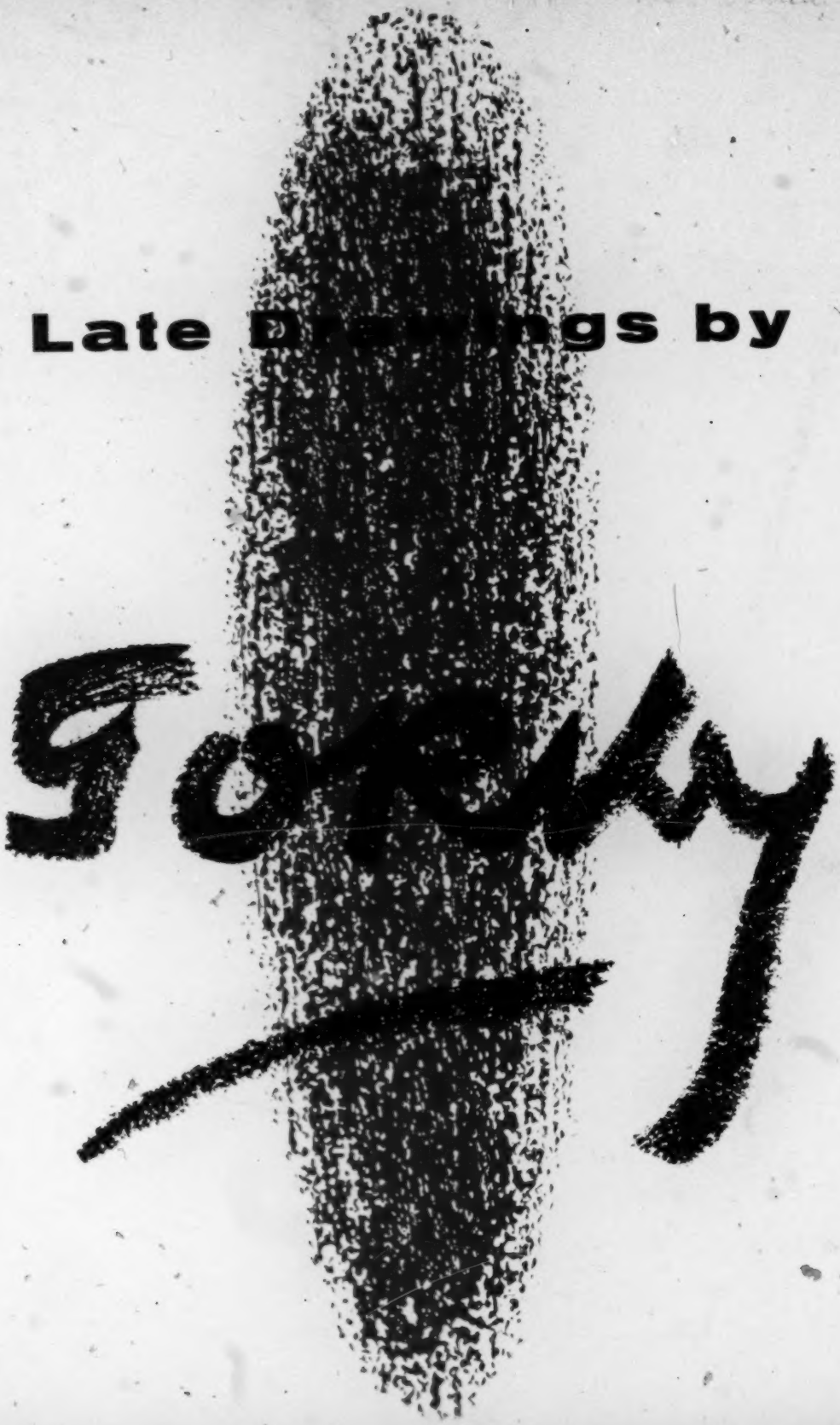

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Drawing was second nature to Gorky. Almost invariably one could find him sketching on whatever paper was at hand, in his studio, at restaurants, while visiting friends, "always," he would say, "keeping my hand in." The circumstances under which he worked at times may have been informal, even casual, but his approach was always serious, and his mastery of line became a telling factor as his imagery matured. The years of continual drawing had a powerful cumulative effect upon his work. In the last period, especially, there was a reciprocal play between his drawings and paintings, bringing to the latter a significant linear quality (sign and line) and to the drawings the plasticity of his paintings. This pictorial interplay enriched his work in both media.

The current showing of drawings marks the Gallery's fourth one-man exhibition of Gorky's work.

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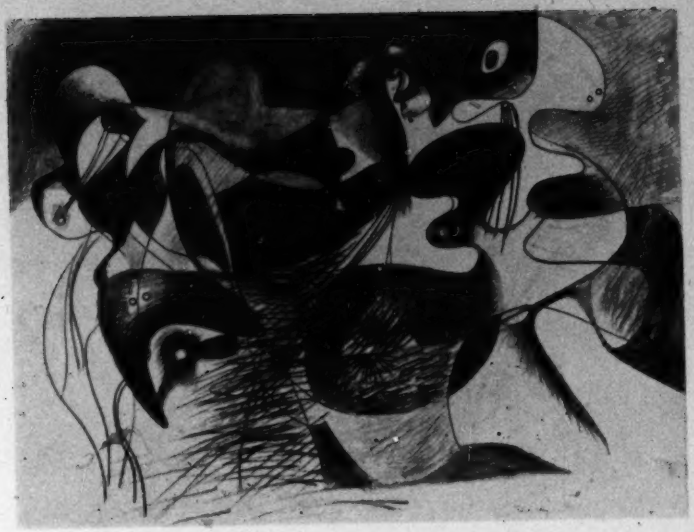
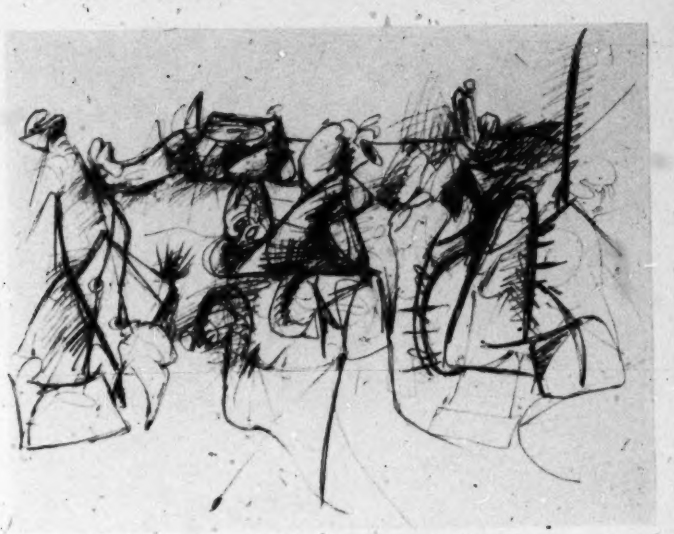
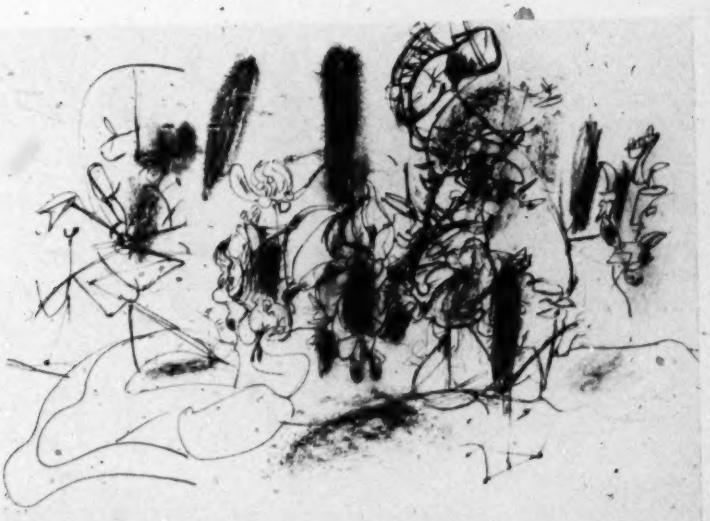


Xorkim c. 1936
Pencil drawing 19x25" **1**



Drawing c. 1943
Pencil & color crayon 19x24" **2**



Drawing c. 1943
Pencil & color crayon 15x22" **3**

4 **Drawing** 1944
Pencil & color crayon 19x24"

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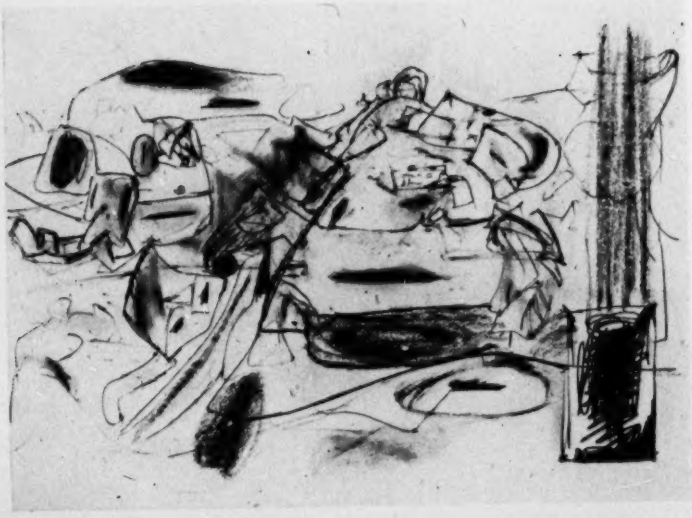
Pencil & color crayon 19x25"



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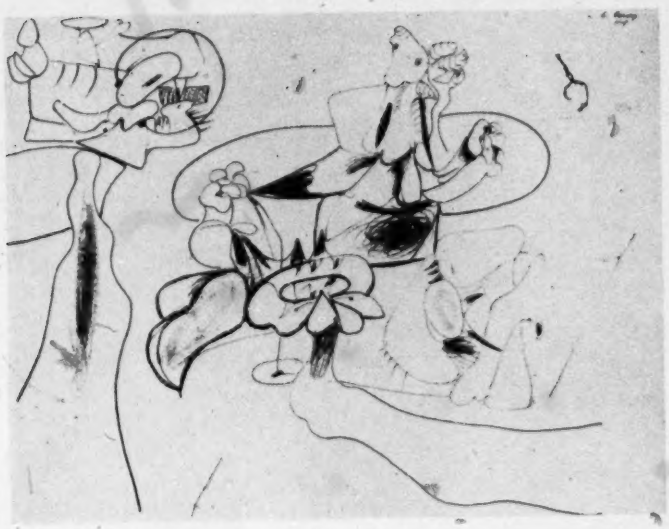
Pencil & color crayon 18x24"

Drawing 1944
Pencil & color crayon 23x30" **7**



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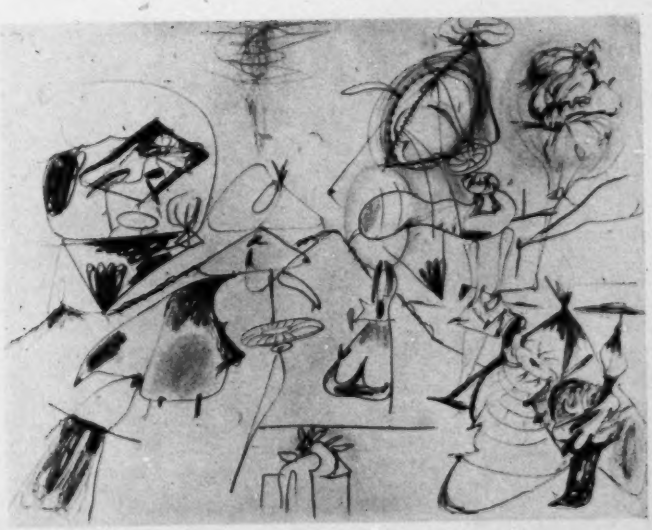
Pencil & color crayon 20x26"



Drawing 1944
Pencil & color crayon 20x26" **9**

10 **Drawing** c. 1945
Pencil & color crayon 19 x 24 1/2"

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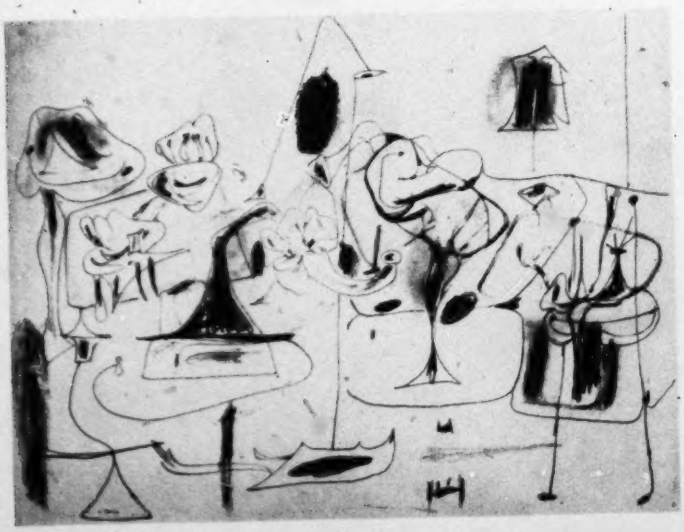

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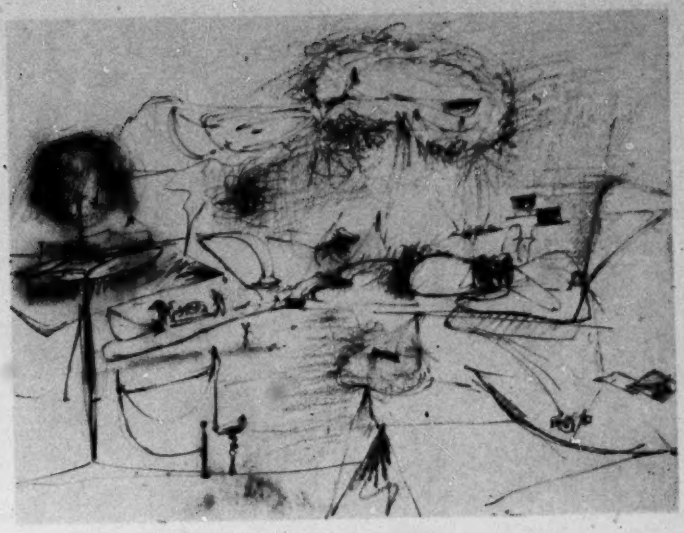
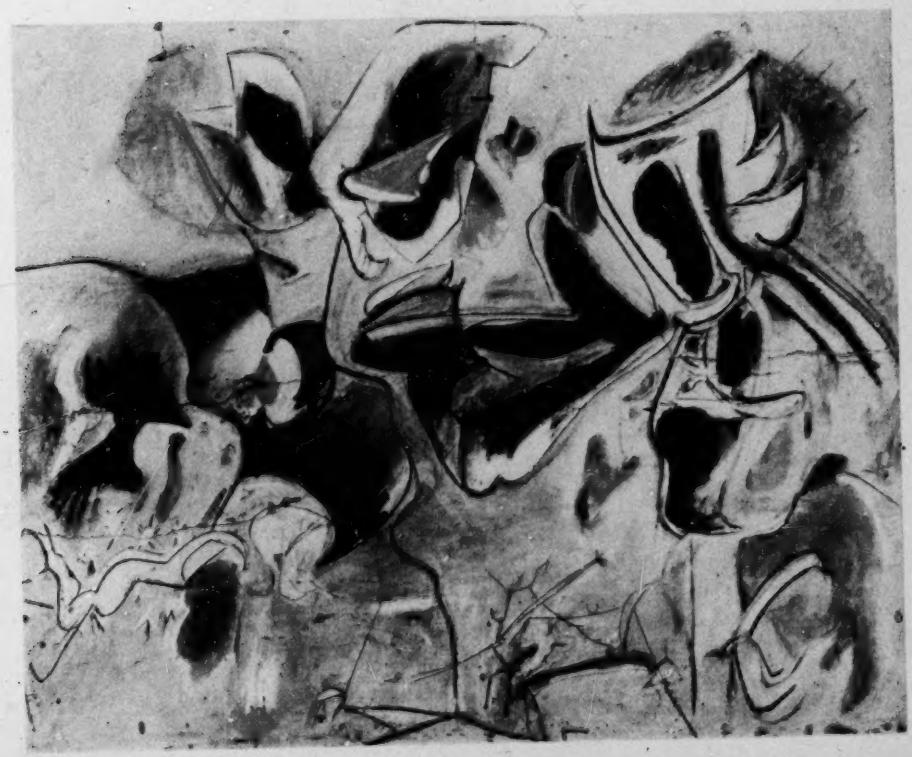
Pencil & color crayon 19 x 25"

Drawing 1945 **13**
Pencil & color crayon 12 x 16"



The Apple Orchard 1943-46 Pastel 42 x 52" **14**



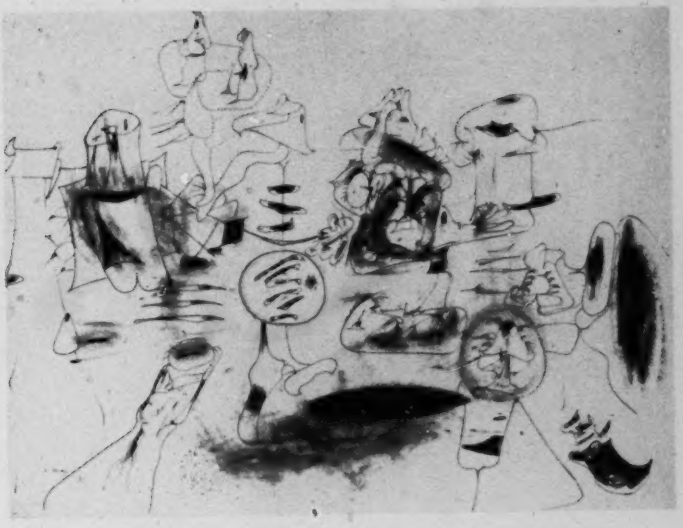
15 **Drawing** 1946
Pencil & color crayon 22 x 30"

16 **Drawing** 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19 x 25"

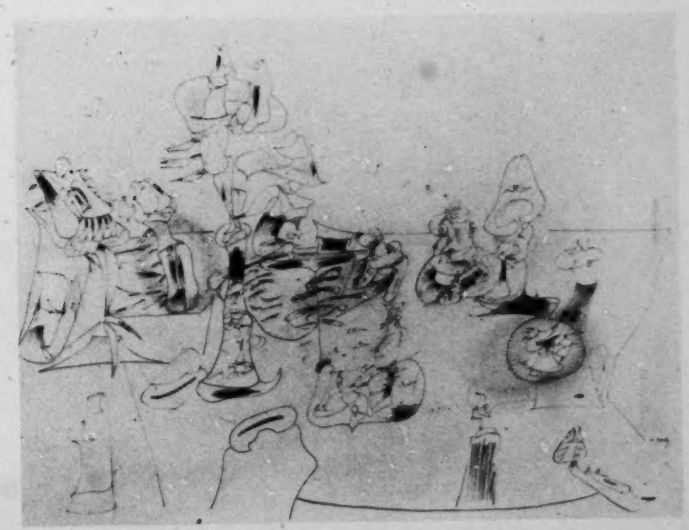
17 **Drawing** 1946
Pencil & color crayon 23 x 29"

Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25" **18**

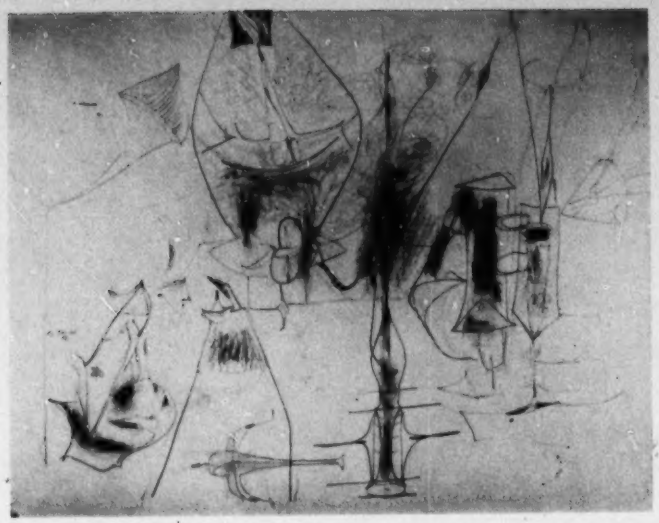
Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25" **19**

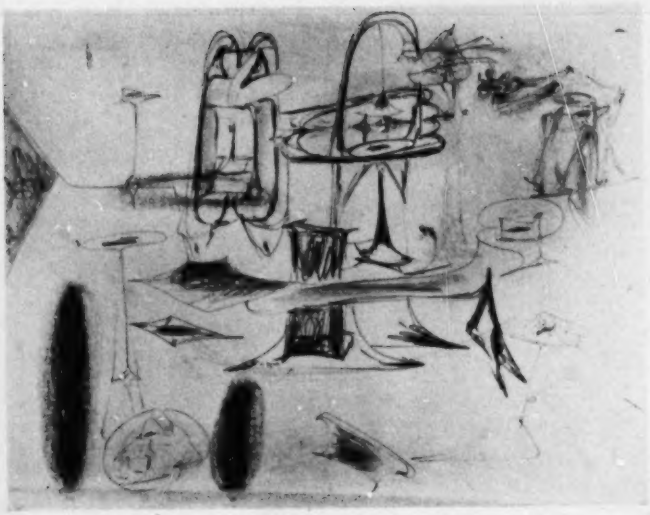


Pink Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25" **20**



Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x24" **21**





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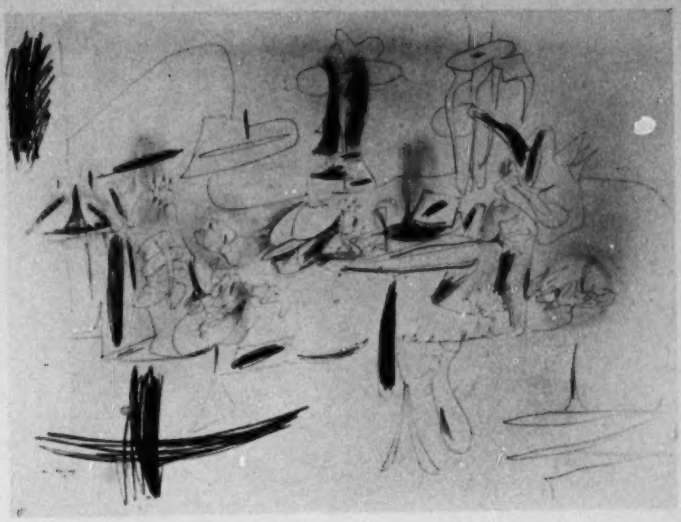
Pencil & color crayon 23x29"

Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 22x30" **23**



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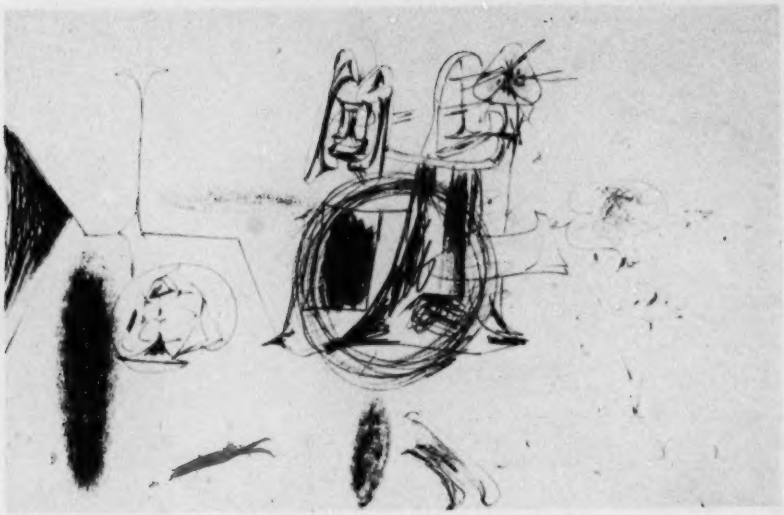
Pencil & color crayon 22x30" **24**



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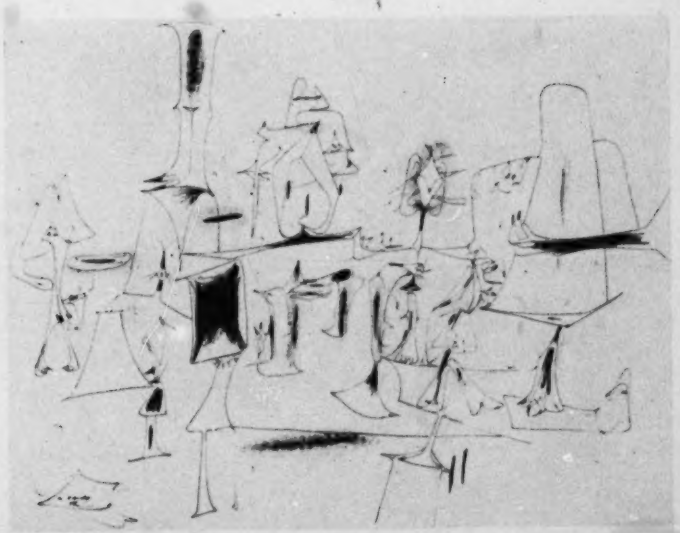
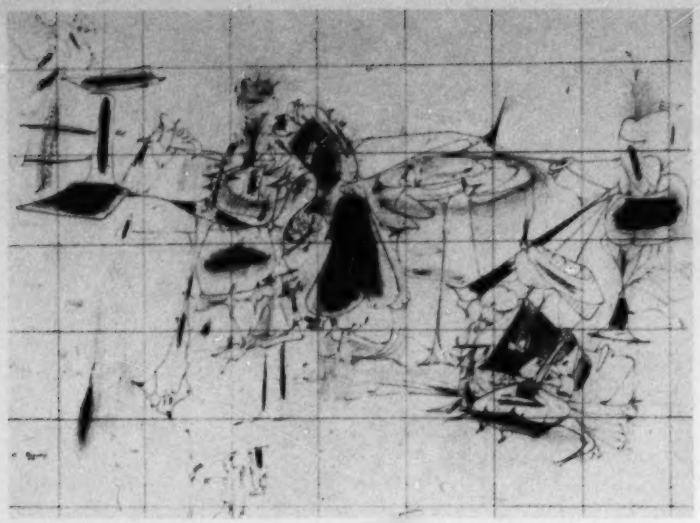
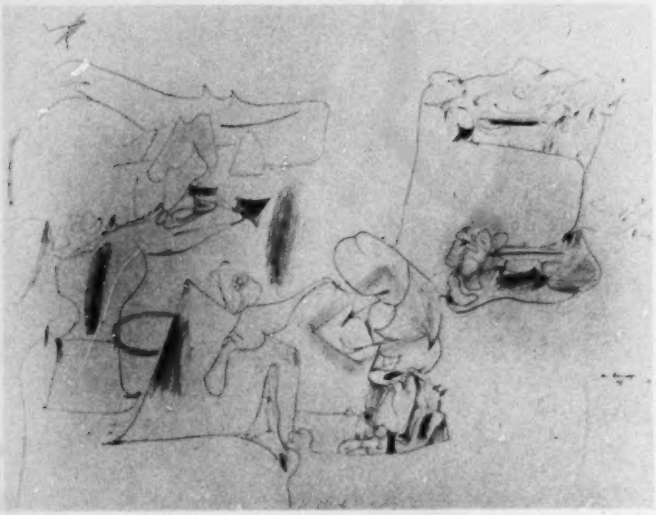
Pencil & color crayon 14x22"



Drawing 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25" **26**



27 **Study for The Limit** 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25"



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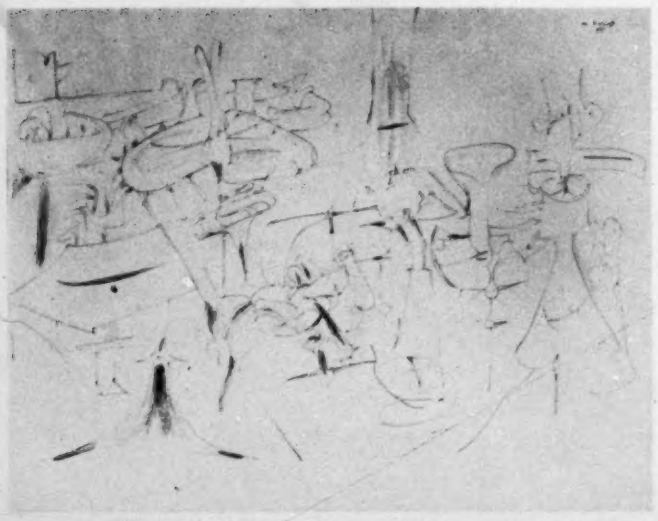

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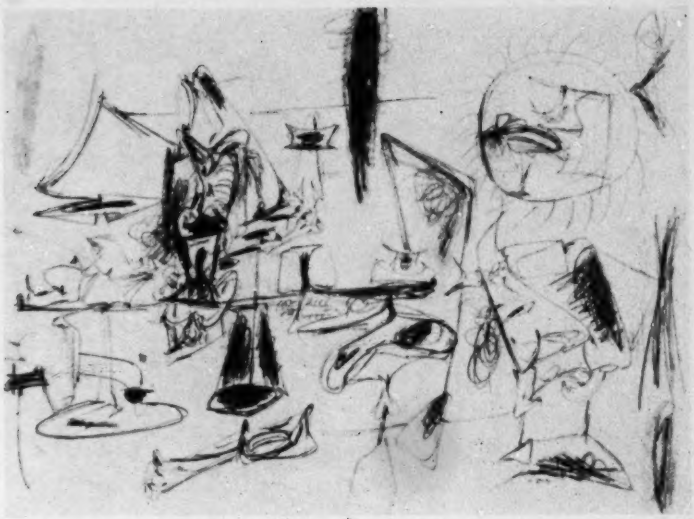
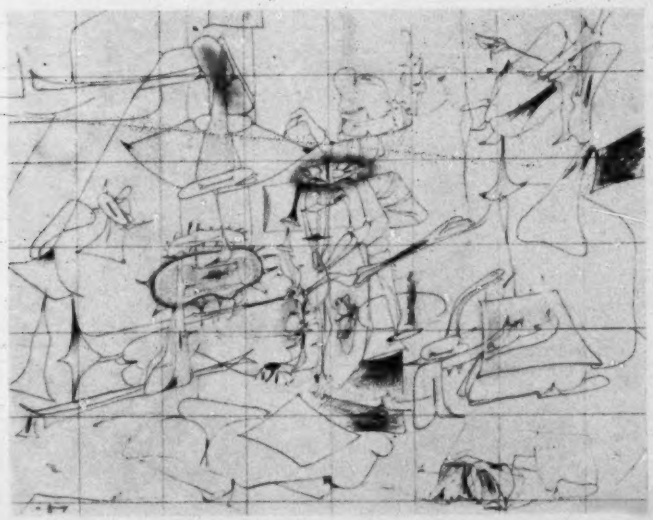
Pencil & color crayon 19x25"

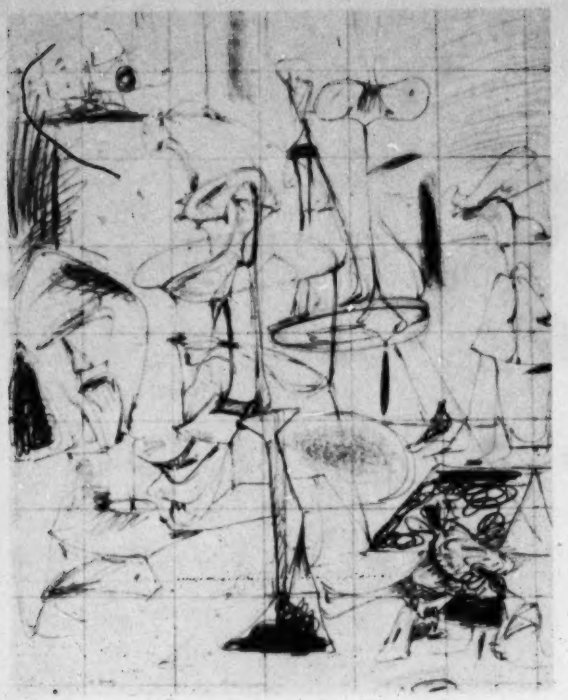
Study for Agony I 1946
Pencil & color crayon 23x30" **30**

Study for Agony II 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25" **31**



Study for Dark Green Painting
1946 Pencil & color crayon 19x24" **32**





33 **Study for Betrothal** 1946
Pencil & color crayon 19x25"

34 **Study for Summation** 1946-47 Pencil & color crayon 19x24"

Grey Drawing 1947 **35**
Soft pencil & charcoal 50½ x 62"

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